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hereby sell, assign, transfer and convey unto: Speciality Plumbing Supplies Pty Ltd

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its successors, assigns and legal representatives (hereinafter called the "Assignee"), the entire right, title and interest, for the United States, in and to certain inventions relating to

## A filter assembly

and described in an application for an International (PCT) Patent Application designating the United States filed by us on 1 December 2004

and which has been accorded Application No. PCT/AU2004/001682, U.S.Appln.10/582,030

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